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SUBJECT: **GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION QUARTERLY REPORT  
THIRD CALENDAR QUARTER (JUL-SEPT) 2007**

The Graduate Medical Education (GME) Quarterly Report for the third calendar quarter of 2007 is attached. Information contained in this report is compiled and reviewed by the Office of Clinical Affairs and Affiliations for all Los Angeles County sponsored residency training programs.

Status of Housestaff Placement at Martin Luther King, Jr.-Harbor Hospital (MLK-H)

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On November 1, 2006, the Charles R. Drew University of Medicine and Science notified the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) of its decision to "voluntarily withdraw" from its role as primary institutional sponsor and to close all fifteen (15) ACGME-accredited residency training programs at MLK-H, effective July 1, 2007. On December 1, 2006, the University executed a plan to place its medical housestaff into educational rotations at other institutions allowing each to complete training requirements for the 2006-07 academic year. The total housestaff complement was two hundred fifty-three (253). Seventy-five (75) housestaff satisfied all training requirements for their residency program by June 30, 2007. An additional seven (7) housestaff were off the ACGME training cycle and completed their training requirements as of October 31, 2007. The University also executed its plan to transfer the remaining medical housestaff, those not yet graduating, to new programs by July 1, 2007, allowing each to complete training program requirements for their specialty. One hundred sixty-nine (169) found permanent placement and two (2) were not placed.

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Information in the attached reports reflects the following:

I. Training Program Accreditation Status and Housestaff Totals (Attachment I)

|                          |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| <u>Total Housestaff:</u> | <u>1,479</u> (Academic Year 2007-2008) |
| LAC+USC                  | 903                                    |
| Harbor-UCLA              | 488                                    |
| Olive View               | 88                                     |

On October 10, 2007, the ACGME notified Dr. Lawrence Opas, the Designated Institutional Official (DIO) for Graduate Medical Education at LAC+USC, of its intention to immediately restore full accreditation to the Obstetrics and Gynecology program which was previously on probation. The program was accredited for three (3) years. The Department recognizes this as an achievement since programs with probationary status that achieve full accreditation are customarily granted one (1) or two (2) year accreditation cycles.

The County-sponsored General Dentistry and Oral Maxillofacial Surgery programs previously based at MLK-H are now based at Harbor-UCLA Medical Center.

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II. Medical Specialty/Subspecialty Board Certification Results (Attachment II)

Medical specialty/subspecialty board certification results for 1,506 housestaff who completed County training programs from 2005 through 2007 are presented in this report. A final 2004 update for four hundred twenty-two (422) housestaff is also included. The next verification of board certification status will occur in March, 2008, and will update results for 2005 through 2007. Drew University voluntarily withdrew from its role as primary institutional sponsor at MLK-H effective July 1, 2007, however, certification reporting for MLK-H will continue until the 2007 candidates are deleted from the three-year running totals.

III. Facility Compliance with Resident Supervision Guidelines (Attachment III)

Second Quarter (October - December) of Fiscal Year 2006-07

System-wide audit results, excluding MLK-H, for eleven (11) of seventeen (17) resident supervision indicators met or exceeded the eighty percent (80%) compliance threshold however, opportunities for improvement continue to exist. Aggregate totals for six (6) indicators failed to meet the compliance threshold. Re-audits continue to closely monitor compliance in these areas and the "Best Practices" of services that achieve the highest compliance continue to be shared. Facilities that demonstrate the best performance and/or a greater than fifteen percent (15%) improvement receive cash awards for the purchase of equipment for patient care.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please let me know.

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Attachments

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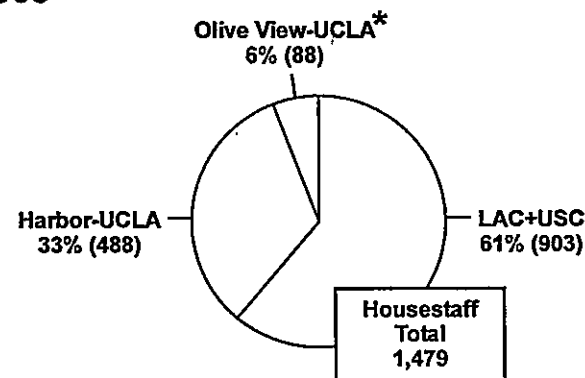
# **Los Angeles County Graduate Medical Education Programs, Accreditation Status and Housestaff Totals 2007-2008**

## ○ **LAC+USC Medical Center**

| Program                      | Status                                      |
|------------------------------|---|
| Institution                  | Favorable                                   |
| Allergy & Immunology         | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Anesthesiology               | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Anes: Pain Management        | Accredited USC Integrated                   |
| Colon & Rectal Surgery       | Full Accreditation                          |
| Dentistry                    | Full Accreditation ADA USC Integrated       |
| Oral Maxillofacial Surgery   | Accredited ADA USC Integrated               |
| Dermatology                  | Full Accreditation                          |
| Emergency Medicine           | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Family Medicine              | Continued Full Accreditation USC Integrated |
| Internal Medicine            | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Int Med: Cardiology          | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Int Med: Electrophysiology   | Initial Accreditation USC Integrated        |
| Int Med: Card-Intervent      | Accredited USC Integrated                   |
| Int Med: Endocrinology       | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Int Med: Gastroenterology    | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Int Med: Geriatrics          | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Int Med: Hematology          | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Int Med: Infectious Disease  | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Int Med: Nephrology          | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Int Med: Oncology            | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Int Med: Pulmonary Crit Care | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Int Med: Rheumatology        | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Neurological Surgery         | Full Accreditation                          |
| Neurology                    | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Clinical Neurophysiology     | Accredited                                  |
| Nuclear Medicine             | Full Accreditation                          |
| Obstetrics & Gynecology      | Full Accreditation                          |
| Ophthalmology                | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Orthopaedic Surgery          | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Ortho Surg: Hand             | Accredited                                  |
| Otolaryngology               | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Pathology                    | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Cytopathology                | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Hematopathology              | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Neuropathology               | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Selective Pathology          | Initial Accreditation                       |
| Pediatrics                   | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Peds: Infectious Disease     | Accredited                                  |
| Peds: Medicine               | Accredited                                  |
| Peds: Neonatology            | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Plastic Surgery              | Full Accreditation                          |
| Plastic Surgery Hand         | Full Accreditation                          |
| Psychiatry                   | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Psych: Child/Adolesc         | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Psych: Forensic              | Continued Accreditation                     |
| Radiation Oncology           | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Radiology                    | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Rad: Neuro                   | Accredited USC Integrated                   |
| Rad: Vasc/Interv             | Accredited USC Integrated                   |
| Surgery                      | Continued Full Accreditation                |
| Surgical Critical Care       | Full Accreditation                          |
| Vascular Surgery             | Accredited USC Integrated                   |
| Thoracic Surgery             | Full Accreditation                          |
| Urology                      | Full Accreditation                          |

## ○ **Olive View-UCLA Medical Center**

| Program                 | Status                       |
|-------------------------|------------------------------|
| Institution             | Not Required                 |
| Internal Medicine       | Continued Full Accreditation |
| Int Med & Emergency Med | Continued Full Accreditation |
| Int Med: Hematology     | Continued Full Accreditation |
| Int Med: Nephrology     | Continued Full Accreditation |
| Int Med: Oncology       | Continued Full Accreditation |
| Int Med: Rheumatology   | Continued Accreditation      |



## ○ **Harbor-UCLA Medical Center**

| Program                      | Status                            |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Institution                  | Favorable                         |
| Anesthesiology               | Continued Full Accreditation      |
| Emergency Medicine           | Continued Full Accreditation      |
| Emerg: Ultrasound            | Accredited CASE                   |
| Family Medicine              | Continued Full Accreditation      |
| Family Med: Sports Med       | Accredited                        |
| General Dentistry            | Accredited ADA                    |
| Oral Maxillofacial Surgery   | Accredited ADA                    |
| Internal Medicine            | Continued Full Accreditation      |
| Int Med: Cardiology          | Continued Accreditation           |
| Int Med: Electrophysiology   | Continued Accreditation           |
| Int Med: Card-Intervent      | Accredited                        |
| Int Med: Dermatology         | Provisional Accreditation         |
| Int Med: Endocrinology       | Continued Accreditation           |
| Int Med: Hematology          | Continued Accreditation           |
| Int Med: Infectious Disease  | Continued Accreditation           |
| Int Med: Oncology            | Continued Accreditation           |
| Int Med: Nephrology          | Continued Accreditation           |
| Int Med: Pulmonary Crit Care | Accredited                        |
| Neurology                    | Continued Full Accreditation      |
| Neuro: Child                 | Continued Accreditation w/Warning |
| Neuro: EEG                   | Accredited AEEGS                  |
| Obstetrics & Gynecology      | Continued Full Accreditation      |
| Maternal/Fetal               | Accredited CREOG                  |
| Female Pelvic & Repro Surg   | Accredited CREOG                  |
| Orthopaedic Surgery          | Continued Full Accreditation      |
| Ortho Foot & Ankle           | Accredited                        |
| Pathology                    | Continued Full Accreditation      |
| Pediatrics                   | Continued Full Accreditation      |
| Peds: Critical Care          | Continued Accreditation           |
| Peds: Emergency Med          | Continued Accreditation           |
| Peds: Endocrinology          | Continued Accreditation           |
| Peds: Infectious Disease     | Continued Accreditation           |
| Peds: Neonatology            | Continued Accreditation w/Warning |
| Psychiatry                   | Continued Full Accreditation      |
| Psych: Child/Adolesc         | Continued Full Accreditation      |
| Radiology                    | Continued Full Accreditation      |
| Rad: Body Imaging            | Accredited ACR                    |
| Rad: Breast/Surgery          | Accredited ACR                    |
| Rad: Neuro                   | Continued Accreditation           |
| Rad: Nuclear                 | Accredited                        |
| Rad: Vasc/Interv             | Continued Accreditation           |
| Surgery                      | Full Accreditation                |
| Surg: Vascular               | Continued Accreditation           |

\*UCLA employed housestaff = 88 (County-sponsored, UCLA-employed)

Accredited by the American College of Radiology (ACR)  
 Accredited by the American Dental Association (ADA)  
 Accredited by the American Electroencephalogram Society (AEEGS)  
 Accredited by the Consortium for the Accreditation of Sonographic Education (CASE)  
 Accredited by the Council on Resident Education in OB&GYN (CREOG)  
 All others:  
 Accredited by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME)

## **Glossary of Program Accreditation Status**

### **Accredited**

Subspecialties only - A Review Committee confers the status of "Accredited" when the dependent subspecialty program has demonstrated substantial compliance with program requirements

### **Accreditation with Warning**

Subspecialties only - A Review Committee may grant "Accreditation with Warning" when the dependent subspecialty has been found to have one or more area of non-compliance with program requirements that are of sufficient substance to require prompt correction.

### **Continued Full Accreditation**

"Continued Full Accreditation" status is conferred when a Review Committee determines that a program continues to demonstrate substantial compliance with program requirements

### **Favorable**

"Favorable" status is conferred when a Review Committee determines that the institution is in substantial compliance with the essential components of Graduate Medical Education

### **Full Accreditation**

A Review Committee grants "Full Accreditation" when a program holding provisional accreditation or probationary accreditation demonstrates substantial improvement and/or compliance with program requirements

### **Initial Accreditation**

"Initial Accreditation" is conferred when a Review Committee determines that a proposal for a new program substantially complies with all program requirements

### **Probationary Accreditation**

"Probationary Accreditation" is conferred when the Review Committee determines that a program has failed to demonstrate substantial compliance with program requirements

### **Provisional Accreditation**

New programs go through a period of "Provisional Accreditation" which implies that a program is in the developmental stage. Provisional Accreditation can be conferred when a program's accreditation was withdrawn and the program has applied to become newly accredited.

## Medical Specialty/Subspecialty Board Certification for Los Angeles County Department of Health Services Residents and Fellows

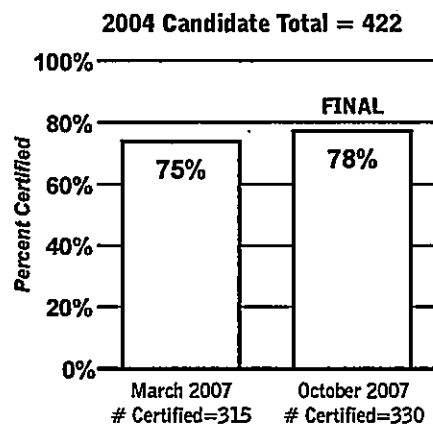
The Office of Clinical Affairs and Affiliations (OCAA) verifies the medical specialty board certification status of County-trained physicians with the American Board of Medical Specialties (ABMS) for the provision of updated results presented to your Board bi-annually.

### Reporting Medical Specialty Board Certification

Fifteen of the 24 ABMS medical specialty member boards require two examinations, the written qualifying exam and the oral certifying exam. Nine medical specialty boards require one written certifying exam. Only eight of the 24 boards impose time limitations for initial testing upon completion of residency training. The majority of physician candidates have unlimited time to apply. Data in this report are the results of the certifying examination presented by facility, in three-year running totals. At the end of each academic year, new physician candidates are added while the earliest candidates are re-verified for a final result then deleted from the three-year total.

The final verification of 2004 physician candidates, illustrated below, shows a 4.79% increase in certification achievement since the prior March, 2007 verification:

### 2004 Medical Specialty/Subspecialty Board Certification Achievement Final Results as of October 2007



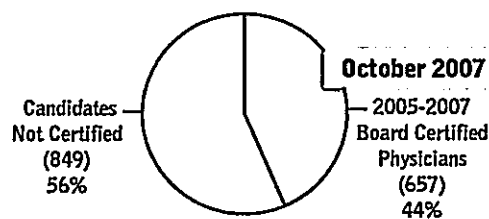
### 2005 - 2007 Board Certification Results as of October 2007

As of October, 2007, board certification verification was completed for an aggregate total of 1,506 housestaff who completed County training programs in years 2005 through 2007. Forty four percent of the total have achieved board certification. The following pages provide facility-specific certification results.

#### Candidates completing residency/fellowship training from 2005 through 2007

Candidate Total = 1,506

LAC+USC Medical Center — 805  
Harbor-UCLA Medical Center — 400  
MLK-Harbor Medical Center — 216  
Olive View-UCLA Medical Center — 85



#### **NOTE:**

The majority of candidates who recently completed training in June, 2007, have not tested. Many specialty boards will open examinations in the latter months of 2007 and the early months of 2008. In some cases, testing has occurred but the results have not yet posted.

**Medical Specialty/Subspecialty Board Certification  
Los Angeles County DHS Trained Residents and Fellows  
2005-2007**

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Certification Types- General (G), Subspecialty (S)  
No Candidates

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| PROGRAM                          | 2005                    |                     |                | 2006                    |                     |                | 2007                    |                     |                | INITIAL<br>CERTIFICATION<br>TIME LIMIT |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|--|
|                                  | Number of<br>Candidates | Number<br>Certified | %<br>Certified | Number of<br>Candidates | Number<br>Certified | %<br>Certified | Number of<br>Candidates | Number<br>Certified | %<br>Certified |  |
| Allergy & Immunology (G)         | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           |                         |                     |                | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Anesthesiology (G)               | 15                      | 12                  | 80%            | 14                      | 8                   | 57%            | 17                      | 0                   | 0%             | 12 Years                               |
| Pain Management (S)              | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           |                         |                     |                | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Colon & Rectal Surgery (G)       | 3                       | 2                   | 67%            | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             | 5 Years                                |
| Dermatology (G)                  | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 3                       | 2                   | 67%            | 3                       | 3                   | 100%           | No Limit                               |
| Emergency Medicine (G)           | 18                      | 17                  | 94%            | 17                      | 11                  | 65%            | 18                      | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Internal Medicine (G)            | 54                      | 47                  | 87%            | 57                      | 40                  | 70%            | 54                      | 2                   | 4%             | No Limit                               |
| Cardiovascular Disease (S)       | 4                       | 4                   | 100%           | 4                       | 3                   | 75%            | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Endocrinology (S)                | 3                       | 3                   | 100%           | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Gastroenterology (S)             | 5                       | 5                   | 100%           | 3                       | 3                   | 100%           | 5                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Geriatric Medicine (S)           | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Hematology & Med Onc (S)         | 3                       | 3                   | 100%           | 4                       | 4                   | 100%           | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Infectious Disease (S)           | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 2                       | 1                   | 50%            |  |
| Nephrology (S)                   | 4                       | 4                   | 100%           | 4                       | 3                   | 75%            | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Pulmonary & Critical Care (S)    | 4                       | 3                   | 75%            | 6                       | 5                   | 83%            | 6                       | 6                   | 100%           |  |
| Rheumatology (S)                 | 3                       | 2                   | 67%            | 3                       | 1                   | 33%            | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Nuclear Medicine (G)             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Neurology (G)                    | 5                       | 3                   | 60%            | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 6                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Neurophysiology (S)              |                         |                     |                | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Neurological Surgery (G)         | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 5 Years                                |
| 1 Obstetrics & Gynecology (G)    | 12                      | 1                   | 8%             | 10                      | 0                   | 0%             | 12                      | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Female Pelvic Medicine (S)       | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Gynecologic Oncology (S)         |                         |                     |                | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Maternal-Fetal Medicine (S)      |                         |                     |                | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Repro Endocrin & Infertility (S) | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Ophthalmology (G)                | 6                       | 4                   | 67%            | 6                       | 0                   | 0%             | 6                       | 1                   | 17%            | No Limit                               |
| 2 Orthopedic Surgery (G)         | 10                      | 0                   | 0%             | 10                      | 0                   | 0%             | 10                      | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Ortho Hand Surgery (S)           | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Otolaryngology (G)               | 4                       | 3                   | 75%            | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Pathology (G)                    | 6                       | 6                   | 100%           | 12                      | 8                   | 67%            | 7                       | 1                   | 14%            | 5 Years                                |
| Cytopathology (S)                | 4                       | 4                   | 100%           | 4                       | 4                   | 100%           | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Hematopathology (S)              | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 1                   | 50%            | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Neuropathology (S)               | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           |                         |                     |                |                         |                     |                |  |
| 3 Surgical Pathology             | 7                       | 7                   | 100%           | 7                       | 5                   | 71%            | 6                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Pediatrics (G)                   | 14                      | 12                  | 86%            | 15                      | 11                  | 73%            | 14                      | 4                   | 29%            | No Limit                               |
| Peds/Internal Med (G)            | 5                       | 4                   | 80%            | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 5                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Neonatal-Perinatal (S)           | 2                       | 1                   | 50%            | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Plastic Surgery (G)              | 2                       | 1                   | 50%            | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             | 3                       | 1                   | 33%            | 2 Years                                |
| Psychiatry (G)                   | 9                       | 0                   | 0%             | 16                      | 2                   | 13%            | 13                      | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Child/Adolescent Psychiatry (S)  | 8                       | 2                   | 25%            |                         |                     |                | 6                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Forensic Psychiatry (S)          | 3                       | 1                   | 33%            | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Radiology (G)                    | 9                       | 9                   | 100%           | 12                      | 12                  | 100%           | 10                      | 7                   | 70%            | No Limit                               |
| Intervent Radiology (S)          |                         |                     |                | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Neuroradiology (S)               | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 5                       | 0                   | 0%             | 5                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Radiation Oncology (G)           | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Surgery (G)                      | 8                       | 7                   | 87%            | 6                       | 5                   | 83%            | 6                       | 0                   | 0%             | 3 Years                                |
| Surgical Critical Care (S)       | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 3                       | 3                   | 100%           | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Vascular Surgery (G)             | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Thoracic Surgery (G)             | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 5 Years                                |
| 4 Urology (G)                    | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             | 5 Years                                |
| <b>TOTALS</b>                    | <b>257</b>              | <b>184</b>          | <b>72%</b>     | <b>270</b>              | <b>137</b>          | <b>51%</b>     | <b>278</b>              | <b>28</b>           | <b>10%</b>     |  |

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| PROGRAM                         | 2005                    |                     |                | 2006                    |                     |                | 2007                    |                     |                | INITIAL<br>CERTIFICATION<br>TIME LIMIT |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|--|
|                                 | Number of<br>Candidates | Number<br>Certified | %<br>Certified | Number of<br>Candidates | Number<br>Certified | %<br>Certified | Number of<br>Candidates | Number<br>Certified | %<br>Certified |  |
| Anesthesiology (G)              | 5                       | 3                   | 60%            | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             | 5                       | 0                   | 0%             | 12 Years                               |
| Dermatology (G)                 |                         |                     |                | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | No Limit                               |
| Emergency Medicine (G)          | 13                      | 12                  | 92%            | 12                      | 4                   | 33%            | 12                      | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Sports Medicine (S)             |                         |                     |                |                         |                     |                | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Family Medicine (G)             | 12                      | 12                  | 100%           | 11                      | 9                   | 82%            | 13                      | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Sports Medicine (S)             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Internal Medicine (G)           | 18                      | 18                  | 100%           | 24                      | 18                  | 75%            | 22                      | 3                   | 14%            | No Limit                               |
| Cardiology (S)                  | 7                       | 6                   | 86%            | 5                       | 5                   | 100%           | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Cards-Electrophysiology (S)     |                         |                     |                | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Intervent Cardiology (S)        | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 3                       | 1                   | 33%            | 3                       | 2                   | 66%            |  |
| Endocrinology (S)               | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 4                       | 4                   | 100%           | 7                       | 2                   | 29%            |  |
| Gastroenterology (S)            | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           |                         |                     |                |                         |                     |                |  |
| Infectious Disease (S)          | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Nephrology (S)                  |                         |                     |                | 4                       | 4                   | 100%           | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Oncology/Hematology (S)         | 3                       | 3                   | 100%           | 3                       | 2                   | 67%            | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Pulmonary Disease (S)           | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 3                       | 3                   | 100%           |  |
| Rheumatology (S)                | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           |                         |                     |                |                         |                     |                |  |
| Medical Genetics (G)            | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           |                         |                     |                |                         |                     |                | No Limit                               |
| Neurology (G)                   | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| 1 Neurophysiology (S)           | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Obstetrics & Gynecology (G)     | 5                       | 0                   | 0%             | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             | 7                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Gynecologic Urology (S)         |                         |                     |                | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| 2 Maternal-Fetal Medicine (S)   | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Orthopedic Surgery (G)          | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             | 3                       | 1                   | 33%            | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Foot and Ankle (S)              | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| 3 Pathology (G)                 | 2                       | 1                   | 50%            | 2                       | 1                   | 50%            | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 5 Years                                |
| Surgical Pathology              | 2                       | 1                   | 50%            | 3                       | 2                   | 33%            | 2                       | 1                   | 50%            |  |
| Pediatrics (G)                  | 10                      | 10                  | 100%           | 9                       | 5                   | 56%            | 11                      | 1                   | 9%             | No Limit                               |
| Emergency Peds (S)              | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Peds Genetics (S)               |                         |                     |                | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           |                         |                     |                |  |
| Peds Infectious Disease (S)     |                         |                     |                | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |                         |                     |                |  |
| Neonatology (S)                 | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Peds Critical Care (S)          | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Psychiatry (G)                  | 6                       | 5                   | 83%            | 6                       | 0                   | 0%             | 6                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Child/Adolescent Psychiatry (S) | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Radiology (G)                   | 5                       | 5                   | 100%           | 5                       | 5                   | 100%           | 5                       | 4                   | 80%            | No Limit                               |
| Interventional Radiology (S)    |                         |                     |                | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |                         |                     |                |  |
| Neuroradiology (S)              | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           |  |
| Surgery (G)                     | 4                       | 3                   | 75%            | 5                       | 5                   | 100%           | 5                       | 1                   | 20%            | 3 Years                                |
| Vascular Surgery (G)            |                         |                     |                | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| <b>TOTALS</b>                   | <b>120</b>              | <b>91</b>           | <b>76%</b>     | <b>135</b>              | <b>80</b>           | <b>59%</b>     | <b>145</b>              | <b>20</b>           | <b>14%</b>     |  |

**Medical Specialty/Subspecialty Board Certification  
Los Angeles County DHS Trained Residents and Fellows  
2005-2007**

Attachment II  
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Certification Types- General (G), Subspecialty (S)  
No Candidates

☐ **MLK-Harbor Medical Center**

| PROGRAM                       | 2005                    |                     |                | 2006                    |                     |                | 2007                    |                     |                | INITIAL<br>CERTIFICATION<br>TIME LIMIT |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|--|
|                               | Number of<br>Candidates | Number<br>Certified | %<br>Certified | Number of<br>Candidates | Number<br>Certified | %<br>Certified | Number of<br>Candidates | Number<br>Certified | %<br>Certified |  |
| Anesthesiology (G)            | 6                       | 3                   | 50%            | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             | 12 Years                               |
| Dermatology (G)               | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | No Limit                               |
| Emergency Medicine (G)        | 12                      | 9                   | 75%            | 11                      | 1                   | 9%             | 11                      | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Family Medicine (G)           | 7                       | 7                   | 100%           | 7                       | 7                   | 100%           | 7                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Internal Medicine (G)         | 13                      | 13                  | 100%           | 11                      | 9                   | 82%            | 20                      | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Endocrinology (S)             | 3                       | 3                   | 100%           | 3                       | 3                   | 100%           | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Gastroenterology (S)          | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           |                         |                     |                | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Geriatric Medicine (S)        | 5                       | 1                   | 20%            | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             | 5                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Infectious Disease (S)        | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| 1 Obstetrics & Gynecology (G) | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Ophthalmology (G)             | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| 2 Orthopedic Surgery (G)      | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             |                         |                     |                |                         |                     |                | No Limit                               |
| Otolaryngology (G)            | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Pediatrics (G)                | 14                      | 6                   | 43%            | 13                      | 2                   | 15%            | 11                      | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Psychiatry (G)                | 4                       | 1                   | 25%            | 7                       | 0                   | 0%             | 3                       | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| <b>TOTALS</b>                 | <b>80</b>               | <b>51</b>           | <b>64%</b>     | <b>65</b>               | <b>26</b>           | <b>40%</b>     | <b>71</b>               | <b>2</b>            | <b>3%</b>      |  |

☐ **Olive View-UCLA Medical Center**

| PROGRAM                  | 2005                    |                     |                | 2006                    |                     |                | 2007                    |                     |                | INITIAL<br>CERTIFICATION<br>TIME LIMIT |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|--|
|                          | Number of<br>Candidates | Number<br>Certified | %<br>Certified | Number of<br>Candidates | Number<br>Certified | %<br>Certified | Number of<br>Candidates | Number<br>Certified | %<br>Certified |  |
| Internal Medicine (G)    | 19                      | 17                  | 89%            | 13                      | 12                  | 92%            | 33                      | 0                   | 0%             | No Limit                               |
| Hematology & Med Onc (S) | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             | 4                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Int Med & Emer Med (S)   | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           |                         |                     |                | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Nephrology (S)           | 2                       | 2                   | 100%           | 3                       | 3                   | 100%           | 2                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| Rheumatology (S)         | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 1                       | 1                   | 100%           | 1                       | 0                   | 0%             |  |
| <b>TOTALS</b>            | <b>24</b>               | <b>22</b>           | <b>92%</b>     | <b>19</b>               | <b>16</b>           | <b>84%</b>     | <b>42</b>               | <b>0</b>            | <b>0%</b>      |  |

- Obstetrics and Gynecology** candidates, after passing the qualifying written exam, must provide unsupervised patient care for at least 12 months prior to admission to the certifying oral exam. Certification results reflect little or no change due to the additional time requirement
- Orthopedic Surgery** candidates must first qualify by passing the written exam. There are two certifying exams. The candidate must pass the oral exam prior to admission to the clinical on-site exam. There are little or no changes in the verification results due to a 22-month in-practice requirement
- Surgical Pathology** is not yet an ACGME-recognized fellowship nor is it an American Board of Pathology subspecialty. Surgical Pathology programs, sanctioned by the ACGME began under the auspices of Selective Pathology. In order to practice Surgical Pathology, the fellow must pass the Anatomic Pathology portion of the primary certifying exam.
- Urology** candidates have two qualifying requirements. After passing the written exam, candidates must engage in a minimum of 18 months of urological patient care before qualifying to sit for the certifying oral exam. Certification results reflect little or no change due to the additional time requirement



**Los Angeles County Department of Health Services  
Audit of Compliance with Resident Supervision Guidelines  
DHS Policy Number 310.2**

**Fiscal Year 2006-2007**  
**October - December, 2006**

In the second quarter of fiscal year 2006-07, nurses from the Department of Health Services' Quality Improvement Patient Safety Program (DHSQIPS) audited each teaching facility abstracting compliance information for seventeen inpatient indicators. The indicators, based on resident supervision guidelines, included eight surgical indicators, three ward/discharge indicators, three ICU indicators and three invasive procedure indicators.

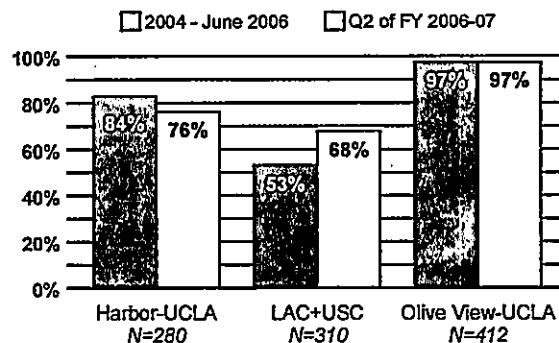
Data was collected from a sampling of hospital discharges with focus on the following services:

| FACILITY        | SERVICES                                  |
|-----------------|---|
| Harbor-UCLA     | Internal Medicine                         |
| LAC+USC         | Burns<br>Hepatobiliary<br>Tumor/Endocrine |
| Olive View-UCLA | Internal Medicine                         |

**Findings**

System aggregates demonstrated a significant improvement of 28% at LAC+USC, no change in improvement at Olive View-UCLA, and a 9.5% decrease in improvement at Harbor-UCLA. The compliance threshold is 80%.

System Aggregates: Seventeen Inpatient Indicators  
2004 - June 2006 compared with Q2 of FY 2006-07



**NOTE:**

*Sample sizes are based on the projected number of annual discharges per service*

### **Findings (continued)**

System-wide audit results for eleven indicators met or exceeded the 80% compliance threshold however, opportunities for improvement continue to exist. The threshold was not met for the three ward indicators at Harbor-UCLA and LAC+USC and, the three ICU indicators at LAC+USC as follows:

#### **System-wide Non-compliance with 80% Compliance Threshold**

| INDICATOR   | Harbor | LAC+USC | Olive View |
|---|--------|---------|------------|
| WARD- ADMIT<br>Admissions note was signed and/ or co-signed by the Attending within 24 hours of admission   | 68%    | 44%     |            |
| WARD - DAILY<br>Daily progress note indicates it was signed, co-signed or discussed with Attending Q48 hours  | 71%    | 22%     |            |
| WARD/DISCHARGE<br>Documentation reflects that the Attending concurs with the discharge plan   | 68%    | 22%     |            |
| ICU- 4HR<br>The resident documented that he/she discussed the patient with the Attending or supervising resident within 4 hours of admission to the ICU               |        | 50%     |            |
| ICU - ADMIT<br>The Attending documented evaluation of the patient and discussed with the resident within 24 hours of admission to the ICU                             |        | 36%     |            |
| ICU - DAILY<br>The Attending documented daily evaluation of the patient or the resident documented daily evaluation that he/she discussed the case with the Attending |        | 23%     |            |

### **Conclusion**

Each service failing to meet the 80% compliance threshold submits, to its facility governing body, corrective action plans addressing each deficiency. The "Best Practices" of services that achieve the highest compliance continue to be shared with those who fail to meet the threshold.

Facilities demonstrating the best performance and/or a greater than 15% improvement receive cash awards. These awards are released to the facility Quality Patient Care Fund or its equivalent to be used as described in the Committee of Interns and Residents' Memorandum of Understanding (if applicable) for the purchase of equipment for patient care.

### **Next Report**

The next report will present resident supervision audit results for the third quarter (January through March, 2007) of fiscal year 2006-07.